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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ENRG, UK  
SUBJECT: WINDSCALE DEBATE

1. WINDSCALE ENQUIRY REPORT, RELEASED YESTERDAY,  
STRONGLY SUPPORTS PROPOSED EXPANSION. MR. JUSTICE  
PARKER, HEARINGS MAGISTRATE, EXPLICITLY REJECTS CONTEN-  
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TION THAT WINDSCALE EXPANSION WOULD NOT BE ECONOMIC AND  
CONCLUDES THAT BY UNDERTAKING REPROCESSING FOR FOREIGN  
CUSTOMERS, WINDSCALE WOULD REDUCE RISKS OF NUCLEAR  
PROLIFERATION. PARKER APPENDED 16 RECOMMENDATIONS  
REGARDING IMPROVED HEALTH MONITORING AND TIGHTENED  
PHYSICAL SECURITY.

2. IN PRESS CONFERENCE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING RELEASE OF REPORT, ENVIRONMENT SECRETARY STATED THAT HE GENERALLY ACCEPTS THE REPORTS CONCLUSIONS BUT HAS REFUSED TO GRANT PLANNING PERMISSION. INSTEAD, SHORE SAID, THE GOVERNMENT WOULD MAKE USE OF SECTION 24 OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT AND LAY BEFORE PARLIAMENT A SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT ORDER. THIS PROCEDURE WILL GIVE PARLIAMENT THE OPPORTUNITY TO DEBATE THE REPORT AND TO VOTE AGAINST THE ORDER WHICH WOULD BLOCK EXPANSION PLANS BUT NOT PROVIDE PARLIAMENT A CHANCE TO AMEND THEM.

3. COPIES OF REPORT BEING AIR-POUCHED TO BORIGHT (OES), TOGETHER WITH RELEVANT PRESS CLIPPINGS, AND TO SIEVERING (DOE). ADDITIONAL COPIES CAN BE ORDERED AT APPROX. \$30 EACH.

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